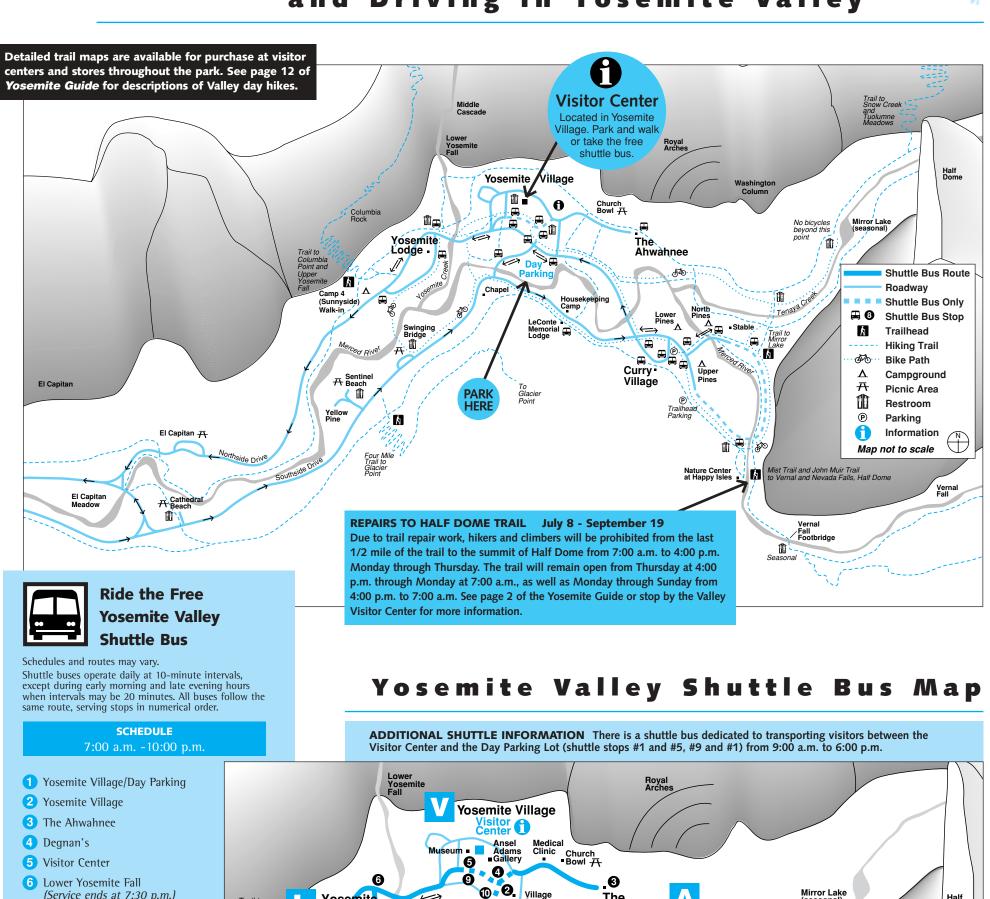
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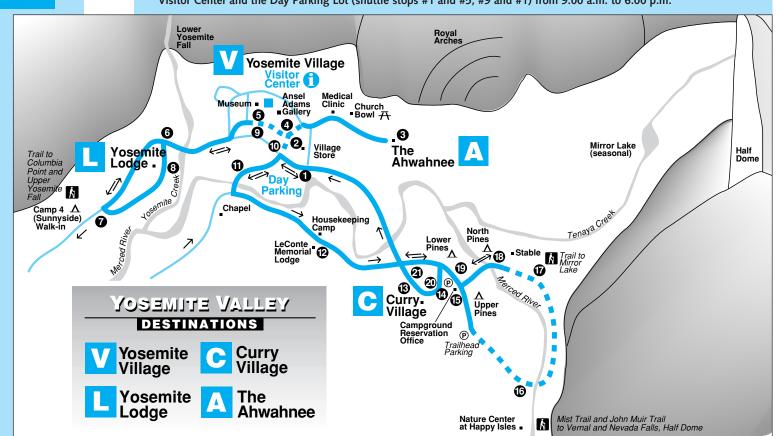
Hiking, Biking,

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- (Service ends at 7:30 p.m.)
- 7 Camp 4/Yosemite Falls Trailhead
- 8 Yosemite Lodge
- 9 Visitor Center
- 10 Yosemite Village
- 11 Sentinel Bridge/Yosemite Chapel
- 12 Housekeeping Camp/ LeConte Memorial Lodge
- (13) Curry Village Registration Desk
- 14 Curry Village Parking
- 15 Upper Pines Campground*
- 16 Happy Isles/John Muir Trailhead*
- 17 Mirror Lake Junction*
- 18 Stable*
- 19 Lower Pines Campground
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- 21 Bike Rental

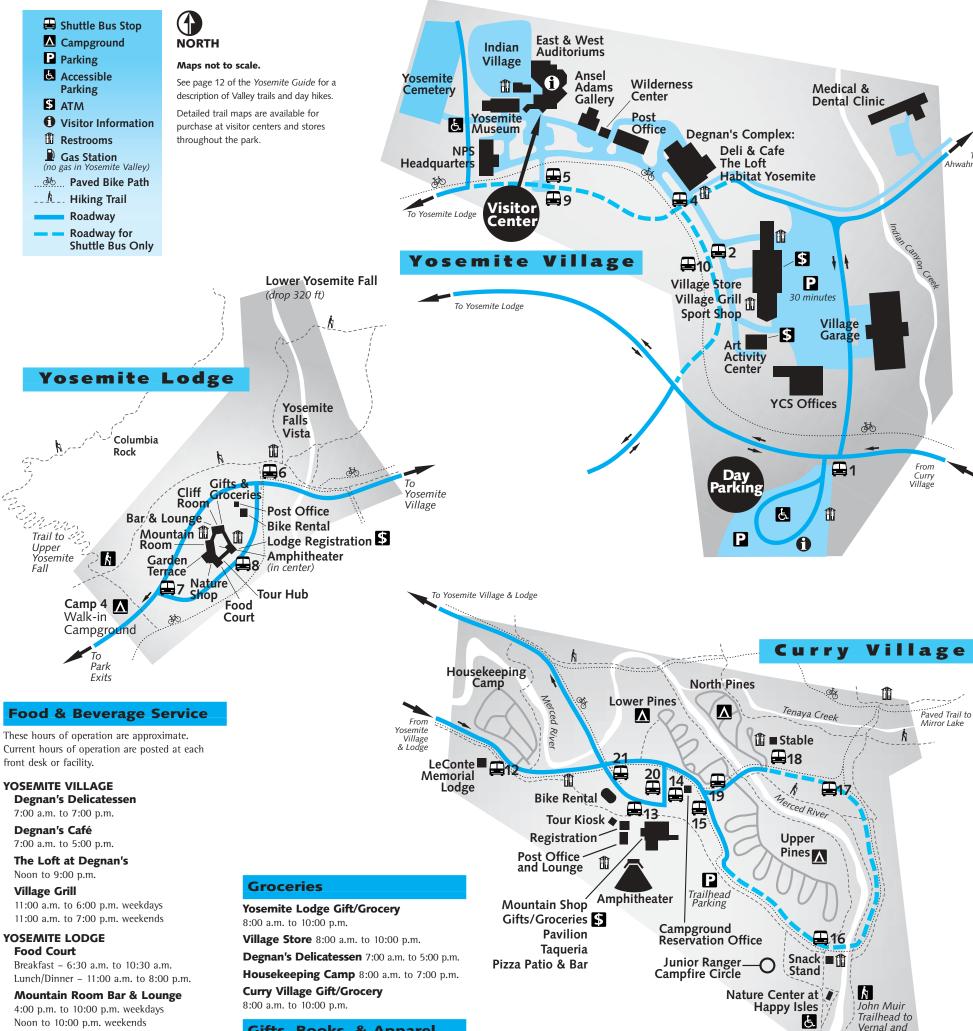
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YOSEMITE AREA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM

For bus schedules to and from the Yosemite area, call 1-877-98-YARTS or visit YARTS online at www.yarts.com

Yosemite Village, Yosemite Lodge, and Curry Village



Mountain Room Restaurant

5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

THE AHWAHNEE **Dining Room**

Breakfast - 7:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Brunch - 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Lunch - 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Dinner - 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Reservations and appropriate attire are respectfully requested. 209/372-1489

The Ahwahnee Bar

10:30 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

CURRY VILLAGE Coffee Corner

6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Pavilion Buffet

Breakfast Buffet - 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Dinner Buffet - 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Pizza Patio

Noon to 10:00 p.m.

Bar

Noon to 11:00 p.m.

Taqueria

11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

HAPPY ISLES

Snack Stand 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Gift/Grocery 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Gifts, Books, & Apparel

YOSEMITE VILLAGE

The Ansel Adams Gallery 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Yosemite Bookstore

8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Inside Visitor Center

Yosemite Museum Store 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Village Store 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Habitat Yosemite 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. **Sport Shop** 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Art Activity Center 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Wilderness Center 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

NATURE CENTER AT HAPPY ISLES

10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (closed for lunch)

Gift/Grocery 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Nature Shop 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

THE AHWAHNEE

Gift Shop 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. **Sweet Shop** 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

CURRY VILLAGE

Mountain Shop 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Showers & Laundromat

SHOWERS

Curry Village 24 hours

Housekeeping Camp 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

LAUNDROMAT

Housekeeping Camp 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Recycling

Village Store Recycling Center

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Bottles and cans may also be returned to place of purchase or park gas stations.

Post Offices

Main Post Office - Yosemite Village

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 10:00 a.m. to noon

Yosemite Lodge Post Office

Monday - Thursday 11:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. Friday 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Curry Village Post Office

Monday - Friday 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

S ATM

Yosemite Village

South of Village Store (Bank of America) Inside Village Store

Yosemite Lodge

Inside main registration area

Curry Village

Inside gift/grocery store

Auto Service, Towing, and Repair (AAA)

Nevada Falls

Village Garage

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Towing 24 hours. Emergency gasoline & propane available 209/372-8320

Wawona Mariposa Grove **Glacier Point**

Food & Beverage Service

WAWONA HOTEL Dining Room

Breakfast and Buffet - 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Sunday Buffet - 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Lunch - 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Dinner - 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Reservations taken for 8 or more. 209/375-1425

GLACIER POINT

Snack Stand 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Grocery

Wawona Grocery Store

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Gifts, Books, & Apparel

WAWONA

Wawona Hotel Golf Shop

7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Pioneer Gift Shop/Grocery

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. **Wawona Wilderness Center**

8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (closed for lunch) **MARIPOSA GROVE**

Gift Shop 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Museum Shop

Friday - Sunday

9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (closed for lunch)

GLACIER POINT

Gift Shop

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Campground Reservation **Stable** Office **Pioneer Yosemite** Wawona **History Center** To Wawona Campground Mariposa Grove Forest Drive & Yosemite Ŕ Valley South Fork Merced River Visitor Information 巫 Station at Hil<u>l's Studio</u> Pδ Trail to Mariposa Store \$ Wawona Hotel Grove **Gift Shop** (6 miles) **Post Office Golf Shop** Wawona Road (Hwy. 41) **Golf Course Post Office** To South Entrance **Wawona Post Office** & Mariposa Grove Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Meadow Loop Trail \$ ATM Wawona Inside Wawona Store

Alder Creek

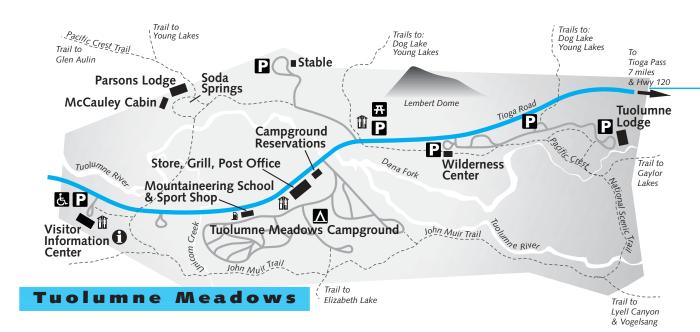
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Trail to

Gas Station

Wawona

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Diesel & propane available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.



Stanislaus National Forest Tuolumne Meadows Yosemite Valley Crane Flat A Inyo National Forest †a Ranger Station Food Service & I Wawona ▲ Campground Peaks and Landmarks Sierra National Forest

Meadows

Tuolumne

Food & Beverage Service

TUOLUMNE MEADOWS

Tuolumne Meadows Grill

Friday - Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Sunday - Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Tuolumne Meadows Lodge Dining Room

Breakfast - 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Order box lunch by 8:00 p.m. night before. Dinner - 5:50 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Meals are served family style and dinner reservations are required, call 209/372-8413

Grocery

Tuolumne Meadows Store 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Gifts, Books, & Apparel

Mountaineering School and

Sport Shop

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Tuolumne Meadows Bookstore

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Inside the Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center

Tuolumne Meadows Store

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. At shuttle stop #3

Showers

Tuolumne Meadows Lodge Showers

24 hours for guests.

Noon to 3:00 p.m. for camping public.

Post Office

Tuolumne Meadows Post Office

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Gas Station

Tuolumne Meadows

8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Propane available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

the El Portal Market. **Gas Station**

Crane Flat

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Diesel available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

On Highway 140 at the Yosemite View Lodge and

White Wolf

rane Flat

Portal

Food & Beverage Service

Dinner reservations advised, call 209/372-8416

Through September 2, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Starting September 3, 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.,

Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

Dinner - 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Take-out lunch - Noon to 2:00 p.m.

WHITE WOLF LODGE

Grocery

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

El Portal Market

Post Office

1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

\$ ATM

El Portal

El Portal Post Office

Crane Flat

El Portal

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Diesel available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

General Park Information

Emergency 911

Fire - Police - Medical Emergency: Dial 911, 24 hours a day (from hotel room 9-911)

Information

Road and Weather General Park Information 209/372-0200 www.nps.gov/yose **Campground Reservations**

800/436-7275 reservations.nps.gov

Medical

Yosemite Medical Clinic

Emergency care: 24 hours daily

Drop-in and Urgent Care Daily 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Scheduled Appointments

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m. to noon

Located on Ahwahnee Drive in Yosemite Valley, the clinic provides routine and emergency medical care for park employees, residents, and visitors. Experienced nursing staff, emergency physicians, nurse practitioner, and support staff on duty. Services include a limited pharmacy, lab, x-ray, and physical therapy. Services include a limited pharmacy, lab, x-ray, physical therapy, and Mountain Crisis Services for victims of domestic violence. 209/372-4637

Paramedic/Ambulance Service 24 hours daily

Dental Services

Adjacent to Medical Clinic. For hours, call 209/372-4200. If no answer, call 209/372-4637.

5 Services For Disabled

An accessibility brochure is available at park entrance stations and visitor centers.

Wheelchair rental available at Yosemite Medical Clinic, 209/372-4637, and the Yosemite Lodge bike stand, 209/372-1208.

Accommodations

For advanced reservations or information (rooms or activities), call 559/252-4848. (www.vosemitepark.com) For availability on day of arrival, check at any

Bear Canister Rental

Available for \$5 per trip at the Yosemite Valley Wilderness Center, Yosemite Valley Sport Shop. Curry Village Mountain Shop, Big Oak Flat Wilderness Center, Crane Flat Store, Wawona Store, Wawona Wilderness Center, Tuolumne Meadows Mountaineering School and Sport Shop, Tuolumne Meadows Store, and the Hetch Hetchy Entrance Station. Canisters may be rented or returned at any rental location in the park.

Recreation

All listings in this section are conditions permitting.

YOSEMITE MOUNTAINEERING **SCHOOL AND GUIDE SERVICE**

Yosemite Mountaineering School and Guide Service offers lessons and guided climbing at all levels, overnight backpacking, and guided day hikes to spectacular areas of Yosemite Valley and the high country.

Curry Village

Located in the Mountain Shop 8:30 a.m. to noon, 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Classes meet at 8:30 a.m. 209/372-8344

Tuolumne Meadows

Located at gas station 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/372-8435

BICYCLE RENTAL

Bikes, strollers, baby-joggers, wheelchairs, and six-speed bikes with trailers. Hourly and daily rates. Bikes must be returned by 6:45 p.m.

Yosemite Lodge

8:30 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. 209/372-1208

Curry Village

8:30 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. Shuttle stops #13 & 21. 209/372-8319

GOLFING

Wawona

7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. 209/375-6572

2-hour and 4-hour rides depart daily. All-day rides, private rides, and pack trips into Yosemite's spectacular wilderness may also be arranged. Private horse boarding is available. Call for reservations.

Yosemite Valley

7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/372-8348 Shuttle stop #18

Wawona

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/375-6502

Tuolumne Meadows

7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/372-8427

SWIMMING POOLS

Yosemite Lodge

9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Lap Swim 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Free Swim 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Lap Swim

Curry Village

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Wawona Hotel

Dawn to dusk

Tours

Inquire at tour/transportation desks at the following locations.

Yosemite Lodge Tour Desk

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Yosemite Village Tour Kiosk 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Curry Village Tour Kiosk

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. **SIGHTSEEING TOURS**

All listings in this section are conditions permitting.

Valley Floor Tour

This 26-mile, 2-hour tram tour departs at 10:00, 11:00 a.m., and 1:00, 2:00, and 3:00 p.m. from Yosemite Lodge in Yosemite Valley.

The **Twilight Tour** departs from Yosemite Lodge at 5:30 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays. The **Moonlight Tour** departs from Yosemite Lodge August 17, 18, and 19 at 9:30 p.m. and August 20, 21, and 22 at 10:00 p.m.

Glacier Point Tour

A 4-hour round trip from Yosemite Valley to Glacier Point. The Glacier Point Tour also offers a one-way ticket for adventurers to hike back down to Yosemite Valley. Departs at 8:30, and 10:00 a.m., and 1:30 p.m. from Yosemite Lodge.

Big Trees Tram Tour

Trams run every day in the Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoias for a 1-hour tour through the lower and upper groves. The first tram is at 9:00 a.m. and the last tram is at 5:00 p.m., running every 15 to 20 minutes from the boarding area. Call 209/375-1621 for information.

Grand Tour

An 8-hour combination of Big Trees and Glacier Point Tours. Departs 8:45 a.m. daily from Yosemite Lodge.

Tuolumne Hiker's Bus

Departs from Yosemite Lodge at 8:20 a.m. Return trip departs from Tuolumne Meadows Lodge at 2:05 p.m.



EDGES AND

INTERSECTIONS

The current Yosemite Museum Gallery exhibit celebrates 100 years of Ansel Adams and Best's Studio (known today as The Ansel Adams Gallery). Original Ansel Adams photography, paintings by Harry C. Best, and family memorabilia.

Ansel Adams in the High Sierra, Randal Partridge, ca. 1935

Photo courtesy of The Ansel Adams Gallery

General Services

ATM

Yosemite Village

South of Village Store (Bank of America) Inside Village Store

Yosemite Lodge Inside main registration area

Curry Village

Inside gift/grocery store

Wawona

Inside Wawona Store

El Portal On Hwy. 140 at the Yosemite View Lodge and the

Miscellaneous

Babysitting

El Portal Market

Limited babysitting available for registered guests at Yosemite Lodge and The Ahwahnee. Call front desk or concierge for additional information.

Kennel

8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Located at the stable in Yosemite Valley. Dogs must be gentle and over 10 pounds. Proof of shots and license required. 209/372-8348

Religious Services

YOSEMITE COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Nondenominational Christian) Pastor Brent Moore 209/372-4831

Worship Service

Through September 1 Yosemite Valley Chapel Sunday 9:15 a.m., 11:00 a.m. Sunday Children's Church 9:15 a.m. Thursday 7:00 p.m.

Lower Pines Campground Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Wawona Campground Sunday 9:00 a.m.

September 2 through September 9 Yosemite Valley Chapel Sunday 9:15 a.m. Sunday Children's Church 9:15 a.m. Thursday 7:00 p.m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

Rev. Raymond J. Duffy 209/372-4729

Mass in Yosemite Valley Visitor Center West Auditorium

Saturday 7:30 p.m. Sunday 10:00 a.m.

Yosemite Valley Chapel Monday 12:15 p.m. Friday 5:30 p.m.

Mass in Wawona

Community Center/Old School House Saturday 4:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Doug Warcup 209/372-4729 Yosemite Valley Chapel

Sacrament Service

1:00 p.m. daily

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST

Jim McMurry 209/532-3337 Yosemite Valley at Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (near shuttle stop #19)

Sabbath School Saturday 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service

Saturday 11:00 a.m.

CROSSWAY CHURCH (Christian Protestant) Pastor Steve Hughes 209/379-2428

Worship Service

Sunday 7:30 p.m.

Bible Study

Girl's Club/Yosemite Valley Library Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

EL PORTAL COMMUNITY CHURCH Pastor Russ Marsh 209/379-2255

El Portal Chapel

Worship Service

First and third Saturday, 7:30 p.m. Second, fourth, and fifth Sunday, 10:30 a.m. **WAWONA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**

Pastor David Adamcik 209/966-3039

Wawona Community Center Women's Bible Study

Wednesday 1:00 p.m. **Worship Service**

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Service Organizations

Al-Anon

Wednesday 7:00 p.m. YCS General Office Building (Employee Training Center) Yosemite Village

Alcoholics Anonymous

Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday 7:30 p.m., YCS General Office Building (Employee Training Center), Yosemite Village **Narcotics Anonymous**

Saturday 7:30 p.m. YCS General Office Building

(Employee Training Center), Yosemite Village **Lions Club** Meets first and third Thursdays of each month

at noon, The Ahwahnee. Call 209/372-4475 for information. **Rotary International**

Meets Thursdays for lunch at noon in The Ahwahnee Mural Room. Visiting Rotarian families and guests welcome. For meeting reservations or information, call 209/372-1016.

NOW AVAILABLE! YOSEMITE ANNUAL PARK PASS

You can now purchase a Yosemite Annual Park Pass for \$40 at all entrance stations. This collectible plastic pass is valid for unlimited entrance into Yosemite National Park for one year from the date of purchase. Each year, the pass will feature a different photograph showcasing Yosemite's spectacular scenery.

